Congressman Jim Costa, D- Fresno, will speak on the House floor this afternoon between 4:30 p.m. and 4:45 p.m. regarding HR 109.

HR 109 is a resolution recognizing the historical significance of the Pinedale Assembly Center in Fresno County where Japanese Americans were interned during World War II.

Groundbreaking on Pinedale Memorial will take place on February 19. The Memorial will honor the nearly 5,000 Japanese Americans who reported to the Pinedale Assembly Center following the Executive Order signed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt authorizing the forced internment of Japanese Americans.

Costa's speech can be recorded off the C-SPAN coverage of the House of Representatives.

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